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Memorandum

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From:

Mark Goodman, P.E. - Hydraulics Engineer

Date:

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Subject:

Hydraulic Reports

We recently met with, Doug Mc Donald, the new SPA 124 Coordinator for Montana Fish Wildlife and Parks. In the meeting Doug stated that if the following information were included in the design documents, it would be easier for him to review and the permit process would become more efficient.

Although many of these items are routinely included in our Hydraulic Reports, to completely address Doug's concerns, we are requesting that in-house staff and consultants preparing hydraulic designs for the Department double check to ensure that <u>all</u> of these items are addressed and included in their Hydraulic Reports.

- a) Q2 and Q100 stages and discharges
- b) Cross sectional area for existing and proposed bridge or culvert (feature)
- c) Cross section, existing and proposed, through feature
- d) Velocities for Q2 and Q100, existing and proposed through feature
- e) Elevation of low beam, existing and proposed
- f) Elevation of thalweg, existing and proposed
- g) Distance from toe of riprap to toe of riprap
- h) For culverts, existing and proposed slope, with invert elevations (inlet and outlet)
- i) Existing longitudinal profile of stream over a distance of 20 bankfull widths, or a minimum of 150 feet up and downstream from the centerline of the feature.
- j) Evaluation with respect to scour of the core drill findings and existing bed surface composition.
- k) Bankfull width from reference reach
- 1) Bankfull width through proposed feature
- m) Riffle / pool complex locations
- n) Meander belt width and 100-year floodplain width from reference reach

- o) Ground level and aerial photos
- p) Documentation of recommended culvert embedment for fisheries, bedload passage, or hydraulic requirements.

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Note to Tom Martin, Consultant Design Bureau: Please distribute to consultants as appropriate.